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COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Following is a list of days County Courts are held in counties near Mt. Sterling:

Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday.
Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.
Fleming, Flemingsburg—4th Monday.
Harrison, Cynthiana—4th Monday.
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

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Perseverance Finds a Way.

Far away, in a small cottage in the Tyrol, there once lived a little boy who longed to draw and paint pictures of the valleys, trees, cows, peasants, sunsets and wonderful mountains which surrounded him on every side. But the boy had no money at all, and his father, a poor mountaineer, was quite unable to spend anything on pencils, brushes or paints.

"Come, father! Come and look!" cried the boy one day, and the good man stared with amazement to see a picture on the wall of his white cottage.

"My boy, did you draw that? Where did you get those colors from?"

Determined to do his best with the materials to hand, the boy had industriously collected flowers and crushed them to obtain their beautiful tints. After that the side of the little cottage was covered with all sorts of lovely pictures, and the boy grew to be the world-famed artist, Titian.

To Prevent Breaking Glass.

In opening a jar of fruit with a knife always insert the blade between the jar and the rubber. Prying against the thin edge of the cover bends it out of shape, and perhaps ruining it for future use, and is likely to break the glass.

He Got The Job.

A hardware store advertised for an errand boy. As it happened, the dealer was talking to a customer when a boy came in. Thinking he wanted to buy something, he excused himself, and going over to the boy, asked him what he could do for him.

The boy told him he came in answer to his advertisement, and asked for the job.

Well, of course, the dealer got mad by being disturbed while he was talking to a customer. He said to the boy:

"You go outside and walk on. If I call you back, why, I will hire you; if I don't why, you just keep on walking." The boy did as he was told, but on going out he picked up a shovel that was standing near the door, put it on his back, and started down the street.

Before he had gone ten yards the old man was after him, yelling: "Come back! Come back!"

The boy came back, took off his coat, and asked where he wanted him to work, downstairs, upstairs, or where.

The man took one good look at him and said:

"I guess you're the sort of boy I want. Never mind putting your coat on. Start right in."

"Mad Parliament."

The same mad parliament was given to the parliament which assembled at Oxford in the year 1258, and broke out into open rebellion against Henry III. The king was declared deposed, and the government was vested in the hands of 24 councillors, with Simon de Montfort at their head.—New York American.

Merely a Suggestion.

During the dinner hour on board a steamer the other day a passenger was much disturbed by the vulgar way in which the man who sat next to him ate his meat. At last, after watching him pick a bone in a very primitive fashion, he could control his feelings no longer, and, turning to the offending party, he said: "Don't you think you would be more comfortable if you took that out on the mat!"—Tit-Bits.

Naturalization Requisite.

A residence of at least five years is required to qualify an alien for naturalization. No matter how long a man may have been in the United States, two years must elapse between the date of his declaration of intention and his admittance to full citizenship.

NO OPPORTUNITY FOR HIM

St. Peter's Explanation to Rapacious Business Man Who Would Have Entered Paradise.

When the man saw ahead a gate of dazzling white, the thought occurred to him that he was dead. He remembered that in his youth he had heard of a gate of such construction. To be dead did not worry him much except that he felt a pang of pity for the people left on earth. But he comforted himself by recalling that other men had died, too, and people had not suffered greatly.

"Well," he said, "I must not be loitering. It's up to me to get the other side of that gate."

As he approached he beheld a dignified angel on guard.

"St. Peter," he remarked blandly, "I have heard of you."

"I've heard of you, too," responded the guardian. "In fact, we understood that you were coming, and looked up your record. We found you to be a thief and murderer."

"What? Say, you've got me mixed with some other Jones. I never stole a thing or killed anybody. Your system of records is faulty."

"We have had the books experted," was the cold rejoinder. "They are correct. You dealt in ice and coal. When the weather was so hot that babies had to have ice, you raised the price so high that many a mother had to stand by and see her child perish. If that was not theft and murder, what was it? And in winter you—"

"Oh, come, now. Business is—"

"You confirm the records. When rebuked for your crimes you used to say, 'Business is business.' So it is, and we know ours."

The man stood mute.

"Now," continued the guardian "there is no opening here for either branch of your industry, but I can direct you to a place where the demand for ice is ever greater than the supply, and you might do something in coal."

"You mean—"

"We never mention it here, but that is what I mean."

Then the man awoke.

"Well, business is business," he said.

Justice for Poor

Splendid Deed to Credit of New York Lawyer.

Man of Eminence at the Bar Devoted His Time and Money to Defense of Unfortunate, Friendless Woman.

A shrinking woman in the shadow of the electric chair, or certainly of a prison cell, with a little girl clinging to her, was a spectacle in the New York criminal court that fixed the attention of the city and, in a way, of the nation. It was a character in the old story of a husband's infamy and a wife's sorrow, of a tragedy in which the woman was strengthened by desperation and sent to his death the brute who assailed her and stood forth with blood upon her hands, although not in any real sense a murderer.

Here was one of the cases that often are railroaded through the courts. Only a woman of lowly station, without a string of friends or influence, without gilt-edged or, indeed, any other kind of counsel, she seemed fated to go to death, or at any rate to immurement in a cell and her child to be left to the buffeting of hard fortune. But in New York, so careless of the individual in its competition for life and position; in New York, where poverty abounds and suffering is reckoned in grand totals; in the great American metropolis was set the example of giving the fullest justice to the poor. Instead of the court assigning for the woman's defense some failure or legal incompetent, with a pitance of a fee, to do the perfunctory work of making a defense, one of the leading lawyers of the city was given the case, with a fee of \$500. With as much ability as he would have displayed in the defense of a millionaire client—perhaps with even more heart—he built up the woman's plea until it was made a bulwark of security about the frail life.

Then the jury was given the case. For ten minutes it remained out. To deliberate upon her guilt or innocence? By no means, but to raise a purse of \$500 with which to send her out from the hall of stern determinations into the sunshine and solace that \$500 would bring a woman seeking to take up again the thread of a broken life and make that life count for the good of her child. The big lawyer, for whom it meant a personal cost of \$1,000 to prepare the case, has the use of his fee already planned. He will give it to the woman who is debtor to him for her liberty. Well might the foreman of the jury thank him in behalf of the client for his fine spirit and remark that if there were more lawyers of his standing to take a similar course there would be fewer innocent persons in prison. This instance should be an incentive to other courts and lawyers. The adequate defense of the unprotected is the noblest service the courts or the lawyers can render.

Queer Meal Before Hanging.

Amid remarkable demonstrations of joy from the natives of the district, Camille Favre was guillotined at Saintes, France, recently. The criminal had been convicted of the murder of a little six-year-old girl and his execution gave unbounded delight to the mothers of the town, who crowded the windows of the houses in the square outside the prison, and uttered cries of satisfaction at the moment the knife fell. Favre spent the last days of his life, like many a prisoner before him, in making friends with dumb creatures. There were little birds which flew in and about the courtyard of his prison, and the man who had been guilty of the most brutal of crimes occupied himself in keeping sparrows as pets. He caught a dozen of them, kept them, tamed them, and began to love them. His wardens thought that after all there must be a touch of human feeling in this man. But were they right? He loved them so well that he made a request of the prison governor concerning his pets. "May I have six of them," he begged, "for my evening meal?" To-morrow, he added, "I will finish the other six." On the next morning he was executed.

Which?

A justifiable rebellion was that of Isabel. She was on the grass in front of the house, playing with the baby, aged two. Isabel herself, not more than three times the other's age, was acting the part of mother to perfection. Presently along came a young man, who thought he understood children.

"Good morning!" he said, elaborately, taking off his hat. "How are you ladies to-day?"

Isabel looked at him with dignity and replied, "Good morning!" and went on attending to the baby.

The young man stooped down.

"Ah," he said, "and which is which?"

"I'm Isabel," replied the older girl, "and that's which."

Treasure in Old Mattress.

An astonishing discovery was made at Hyde, England, by some lads who were given a couple of mattresses to throw upon a bonfire which had been made in honor of Guy Fawkes' day. As the mattresses were being prepared for the ordeal by fire they were noticed to be very old and mouldy, and came to pieces while being carried. Then, to the astonishment of the exuberant youngsters, a shower of yellow coins fell from one of the mattresses, and when it was discovered they were good English sovereigns there was a wild struggle for possession. The coins numbered over a hundred and the police failed to trace the owner of the strangely hidden treasure.

Give Music Scholarships.

The Woman's Philharmonic society of New York has adopted a plan of giving scholarships to poor but deserving persons who have talent, but not the money to get the necessary musical education. As a rule, the scholarships in women's societies are given to women, but this society is an exception. One of the scholarships was given to the son of a postman who was found to have more than the ordinary ability. The society has been in existence 11 years and the membership has increased from 40 to 150.

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Early American Mine.

The first bituminous coal mined in the United States, states the United States Geological Survey, was taken from what is usually termed the Richmond basin, a small area in the southeastern portion of Virginia, near the city of Richmond, says a writer in the Scientific American.

This basin is situated on the eastern margin of the Piedmont plateau, 13 miles above tidewater, on the James river. It lies in Goochland, Henrico, Powhatan and Chesterfield counties.

The coal beds are much distorted, and the coal is of rather low grade when compared with that from other districts with which it has to come into competition. The occurrence of coal was known in the Richmond basin as early as 1700, and in 1789 shipments were made to some of the northern states.

In 1822 the production amounted to 48,215 gross tons. At present what little coal is produced in this field is for local consumption only.

Wreck of the Sarah Sands.

The Sarah Sands, an iron screw steamer, sailed from Portsmouth, England, to Calcutta, in August, 1857, with 300 soldiers on board. On November 11, the cargo (government stores) broke fire. By the exertions of Maj. Brett and Capt. Castle, the master of the vessel, who directed the soldiers and the crew, the flames were subdued, although a barrel of gunpowder exploded during the conflagration. A new danger then arose—the prevalence of a strong gale; water was shipped heavily where the port quarter had been blown out. Nevertheless the vessel arrived at the Mauritius, on November 21 without losing a single life.

The Bane of Marriage.

"She is broken-hearted."
"But why should she be, isn't she just married?"
"It's not unhappiness with her husband, but on account of the newspaper notice of the wedding."
"Was there something uncomplimentary said?"
"Not intentionally, perhaps, but the item printed was to have read, 'The groom married a pretty miss.' When the article appeared the second letter in miss was an 'e.'—St. Louis Star.

Will Be Presented at Court.

Miss Katherine Packer Hill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Jayne Hill, will be presented at the German court on January 15, the emperor and empress presiding at this largest function of the year. Miss Hill has been carefully educated at Dresden and Paris and speaks four languages, besides being an accomplished musician. Miss Hill is with her parents in Washington at present, but will leave the first of the month for Berlin.

These Questions.

"Have a pleasant trip east?"
"Yep."
"How did you find New York?"
"Why, you can't miss it, if you take the right train."

NO SMALL CHANGE

NICKELS AND DIMES UNKNOWN IN ALASKA.

Their Use, the Miners Say, Would Mean Smaller Wages—Why Robbers Have Small Change to Escape Capture.

"No pennies, nickels and dimes go in Alaska," said John Hoover of Fairbanks. "When I first went to that country I saw bartenders look curiously at a dime that some tenderfoot had tossed on the bar and then sweep it off on the floor with their hands. I wondered at this contempt for real money and asked some questions about it, discovering that no one ever took nickels or dimes and that nothing could be bought in the Klondike for less than 25 cents.

"Take the ordinary sack of tobacco for instance, which we get here for a nickel. There they cannot sell it for a quarter hardly, so they make it two for a quarter, but will not sell one for 15 cents.

"It is common cause among those people up there. They do not want nickels and dimes introduced, for introduction of small change would mean lower wages and lower prices. Ordinary shovelers get four dollars or five dollars a day now and other labor is paid in proportion. They do not want to receive lower wages.

"Of course it is true that they make money on the side, almost every worker does. There is a tendency in mining to follow the rule that nuggets belong to the man who uncovers them even if they are found on the claim of the employer. I have seen men pick up nuggets worth from an insignificant sum to \$108 in value. The game up there is worth playing. I have had this bag half filled with gold dust several times—and lost it; but I expect to keep right on till I make a strike."

Mr. Hoover has with him one of the leather bags that the dust is carried in in Alaska. It is about 12 inches in length and flat and is about four inches across. It ties with a thong. "This looks as if an elephant had stepped on it," he said, "but it has had the dust in it up in the Klondike all right.

"There are mighty few robbers in Alaska. It doesn't take more than four years to try a criminal and give him proper punishment up there; and besides, he can be caught. There is only one way out and that is guarded. Besides, gold dust is as easily identified as different kinds of cloth or cattle. For an assayer or a banker in Seattle, for instance, will tell you whether your gold is from one creek or another. There is sometimes ten per cent difference in the value of the gold streams running parallel on different sides of the same mountain. A holdup man who acquires gold dust would have to account for it when he went out, and it could be traced easily."—Des Moines Register and Leader.

Women Good Harvest Hands.

Many hundreds of women assisted in gathering the harvest around Beatrice, Neb. They were lured to the fields by the offer of board and \$3 a day. A farmer went into Beatrice looking for farm hands. Loungers in the town refused to work, and the farmer had to face the possibility of losing part of his crop. He went into a restaurant, and when waiting to be served was struck with the idea of bidding for the waitresses as harvesters. He offered them \$3 a day and every waitress threw aside her apron and went to the farm. They did such efficient work that other farmers sought women, and they drew school-teachers, stenographers and college girls as well.—New York Press.

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East-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Daily	No. 1 Daily
Lv Lexington.....	7:45	7:45
" Monroe.....	8:00	8:00
" Avon.....	8:15	8:15
" Wyandotte.....	8:30	8:30
" Winchester.....	8:45	8:45
" L. & E. Junction.....	9:00	9:00
" Indian Fields.....	9:15	9:15
" Clay Springs.....	9:30	9:30
" Stanton.....	9:45	9:45
" Roslyn.....	10:00	10:00
" Dunjee.....	10:15	10:15
" Campton Junction.....	10:30	10:30
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" Torrent.....	11:15	11:15
" Fincastle.....	11:30	11:30
" Beattyville Junction.....	11:45	11:45
" St. Helens.....	12:00	12:00
" Tallega.....	12:15	12:15
" Abol.....	12:30	12:30
" Oakdale.....	12:45	12:45
" Elkatawa.....	1:00	1:00
" O. & K. Junction.....	1:15	1:15
Ar Jackson.....	1:30	1:30

West-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Daily	No. 2 Daily	No. 5 Sun. Only
Lv Jackson.....	6:00	6:00	6:00
" O. & K. Junction.....	6:15	6:15	6:15
" Elkatawa.....	6:30	6:30	6:30
" Oakdale.....	6:45	6:45	6:45
" Tallega.....	7:00	7:00	7:00
" St. Helens.....	7:15	7:15	7:15
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L. & E. Junction—Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 will connect with the C. & O. for Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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The First Encyclopedia.

The honor of first bringing a dictionary of general knowledge into alphabetical order belongs to Ephraim Chambers, an English Quaker, whose taste for literature was acquired in a globemaker's studio; he stole the time belonging to his master to compose behind the shop counter the encyclopedia published in 1727.—American Review of Reviews.